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SUBJECT: SENATE APPROVES STATE OF NATION RESOLUTION

1. FOLLOWING IS FULL TEXT OF RESOLUTION UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED
BY 41 MEMBERS OF SENATE FOLLOWING DAY LONG DISCUSSION AND
DEBATE AT EMERGENCY SESSION CONVENED BY SENATE CHAIRMAN
TO CONSIDER CURRENT STATE OF NATION.

BEGIN TEXT

RESOLUTION

SENATE OF THE REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM

AFTER DISCUSSING THE STATE OF THE NATION IN AN EMERGENCY
EXTRAORDINARY PLENARY SESSION ON APR 2, 1975:
WE HAVE DETERMINED THAT:

1. THE GLOOMY NATIONAL SITUATION IS DUE IN PART TO THE
COMMUNIST VIOLATIONS OF THE PARIS AGREEMENT, THE US NOT
KEEPING ITS PROMISES TO THE RVN AND THE IMPOTENCE OF THE
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ICCS AS WELL AS THE PASSIVE ATTITUDE OF THE SIGNATORIES

OF THE INTERNATIONAL PEACE AGREEMENT OF VIETNAM. IT IS ALSO DUE IN PART TO THE MISTAKES OF THE EXISTING ADMINISTRATION.

2. THE EXECUTIVE HAS APPLIED A FORM OF LEADERSHIP THAT COMPLETELY LACKS THE ABILITY TO CONSIDER POPULAR OPINION IN THE PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION OF NATIONAL POLICY. AS A RESULT OF THIS MISTAKE THERE IS ABUSE, CORRUPTION, AND AN ABSENCE OF SOCIAL JUSTICE.

3. THE EXECUTIVE HAS RELIED HEAVILY ON A PURELY MILITARY SOLUTION AND HAS COMPLETELY OVERLOOKED ORGANIZING THE PEOPLE. THEREFORE, IT IS IMPOTENT IN RESOLVING THE WAR WHICH HAS A STRONG POLITICAL CHARACTER AND HAS CAUSED THE PEOPLE TO SLOWLY MOVE AWAY FROM THE GOVERNMENT. MEANWHILE THEY HATE AND FEAR THE COMMUNISTS.

4. THE GLOOMY SITUATION IS NOT NECESSARILY A DESPERATE ONE. CONVERSELY, THE PEOPLE OF SOUTH VIETNAM STILL HAVE REASON TO BELIEVE IN A BETTER FUTURE.

RESPECTFULLY RESOLVED:

1. THE THIRST FOR PEACE OF THE PEOPLE OF SVN MUST BE RESPECTED AND ACHIEVED. THE MILITARY ATTACKS OF THE COMMUNISTS CANNOT BE ACCEPTED AS THEY ARE CONTRARY TO THE SPIRIT OF THE PARIS AGREEMENT OF JANUARY 27, 1973.

2. URGENTLY NEED A NEW DIRECTION TO SETTLE THE WAR AND A CHANGE OF LEADERSHIP THAT HAS FREEDOM AND SOCIAL JUSTICE AS ITS OBJECTIVE. CONFIDENCE MUST BECOME THE ACTIVE MOTTO AND THE PEOPLE MUST BE THE OBJECTIVE OF EVERY NATIONAL POLICY.

3. URGENTLY HAVE AN EFFECTIVE GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL UNION THAT WILL ASSEMBLE THOSE ELEMENTS THAT HAVE ABILITY, GOODWILL AND A GOOD REPUTATION.

4. THE GOVERNMENT MUST HAVE ADEQUATE ABILITY TO ACT WITH AMPLE AUTHORITY AND RESPONSIBILITY ACCORDING TO THE SPIRIT OF THE CONSTITUTION WHICH THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY PROHIBITED OFFICIAL USE

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ULGATED IN 1967. AT THE SAME TIME IT HAS THE DUTY TO WORK CLOSELY WITH THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY AND THE VARIOUS PEOPLE'S ASSOCIATIONS TO PROTECT THE SUPREME INTERESTS OF THE NATION AND THE PEOPLE. IT MUST ALSO STABILIZE THE MILITARY, SOCIAL AND POLITICAL SITUATION ON A TIMELY BASIS.

5. THE SENATE RECORDS AND PRAISES THE VARIOUS INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND GOVERNMENTS, THE ASSOCIATIONS

AND INDIVIDUALS AS WELL AS THE FRIENDLY NATIONS THAT LOVE
PEACE AND ARE CUREENTLY SUPPORTING THE THIRST FOR PEACE
AND THE JUST SELF-DEFENSE EFFORT OF THE PEOPLE OF SOUTH
VIETNAM.

6. APPEAL TO THE US TO QUICKLY AND EFFECTIVELY
CARRY OUT ITS PROMISES TOWARD THE RVN AND URGENTLY CALL
UPON THE SIGNATORIES OF THE INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT TOWARD
VIETNAM TO USE EVERY MEANS AND ALL THEIR INFLUENCE TO COMPEL
THE COMMUNISTS TO IMMEDIATELY HALT THEIR AGRESSION AGAINST
THE RVN. END TEXT
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